

FARM CONDITIONS IN BOURBON.

Weather conditions during the past week and part of this week were highly favorable for all growing crops. The temperature was reasonable and the rainfall generally ample, only a few localities reporting any need of rain. The late corn is maturing slowly, but nicely. Tobacco is doing well and the cutting is being rushed. Alfalfa and potatoes are improved, and the late potatoes, sweet potatoes, cowpeas and truck crops generally are good. The hemp, which is now being cut is of excellent quality, but the predictions are that the late yield will be poor, so the two crops will about equal the average.

Tomatoes and potatoes are selling at \$2 per bushel, and the outlook for a future scarcity of tomatoes makes the housewives who have not made their catsup and chili sauce very anxious. There are still an abundance of green tomatoes on the vines. Late last week and early this week loads of watermelons, cantaloupes and apples were brought to the local market. They were of good flavor and the price were high.

Wherever garden products are not being canned they are being dried and for this there are plenty of buttermilk and string beans, and for every jar of jelly or preserves that were made in former times, from three to five are being made this fall. Grape juice, other fruit flavors and grape wine are being made in large quantities where the grapes are good and plentiful. The recent hard rains, windstorms and the small boys in many neighborhoods have interfered with the plans of the housewives in this respect.

"THE SMARTER SET" AT GRAND SEPTEMBER 20.

Among the attractions booked for the Paris Grand Opera House is the "Smarter Set," better known as the "Smart Set," headed by Salem Tutt Whitney and J. Homer Tutt, presenting a new creation called "My People, or Music and Mirth of a Race," which is booked for September 20.

This is not the inferior and misrepresenting imitation of somewhat similar attraction, but the reliable, guaranteed company who backs up its claim and statements with "your money's worth or your money back." Don't miss the best show of the season. If you have a headache, pains in the back, that tired, wornout feeling, or other unsatisfactory symptoms, which are so often to be found in the tabulated list of patent medicine dispensers, forget it and go and see the cure for all blues, "The Smarter Set."

COMMISSIONERS ANNOUNCE THE GARTH FUND BENEFICIARIES

The Bourbon Fiscal Court met at the court house Monday and received the report of the Commissioner of the Wm. Garth Educational Fund, composed of Messrs. Emmett M. Dickson, John T. Collins and Claude M. Thomas.

The Commissioners' report, in part, says:

"The following former beneficiaries have joined the army in defense of the country, and this conduct on their part we most heartily commend for its patriotism:

"Eugene Elder, who has made an excellent record, has applied for entrance to the Training Camp at Fort Benjamin Harrison.

"Clarence Harney, who graduated at State University with distinction, will join the Hospital Unit and will go to France.

"Others who will serve their country in the cause of the Allies are John T. Speakes, Wesley Shears and Charles Dickerson.

"Other old beneficiaries who did not apply are Wayne Cottingham, who has accepted a position with the Lexington Leader; Hiram Adair, Dora Wagoner, Madison Smoot and Russell Evans.

The following are the accounts allowed the

OLD BENEFICIARIES:

Marion Thomas	\$100
Landen Templin	125
Baldwin Woods	125
Fred Hill	75
Ed. Brophy	100
Howard Crump	40
Collins Hall	40
Ussery Taul	30
Stuart Wallingford	175
James Faulconer	50
Wm. T. Henry	75
Thomas Letton	75

NEW BENEFICIARIES:

John Brown	\$ 25
Preston Bales	25
Yancey Chappell	25
Edgar Estes	100
William Forsyth	40
Basil Hayden	75
Joseph B. Jones	150
Forrest Stone	25
Jennings Taylor	50
Lane Lusk	40
R. C. Harp	40
George Woods	25
John Welsh	25

The twelve old beneficiaries will receive an aggregate of \$1,010, and the thirteen new beneficiaries receive an aggregate of \$645, the sum total allowed the old and new being \$1,655.

WILL OBSERVE JEWISH HOLIDAY

Twin Bros. Clothing Store will observe Jewish new Year holiday on Monday and the place will be closed on that day. (1t)

IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE—IN THE NEWS.

The home of Chief of Police Link was recently visited by an inconsiderate thief, who stole a lot of flowers, shrubbery, etc., from the porch and yard.

Wednesday morning when Chief Link came out on the front porch at his home, he was greatly surprised to find there a lot of flowers, among them a big bunch of lilies and some potted plants, which he recognized as having been a part of the landscape arrangements and porch decorations of his home. On the lilies lay a half-sheet of note paper, on which was written in a rather boyish scrawl the message:

"Ah, Fred Link, I stole your flowers just to see if you could find them. I read a piece in THE BOURBON NEWS about them, so I brought them back to you so you could find them."

So once more the value of advertising is shown even in this indirect manner. It wasn't so much the thief's conscience that troubled him, as the certainty that Chief Link would not be able to find the flowers and he wanted to show the good influence a first-class family paper could exert.

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SEVEN BUILDINGS RAZED BY FIRE.

Seven buildings in the main business section of Butler, Ohio, were completely destroyed by fire which swept through the village Thursday morning. The loss will amount to over \$50,000, only a small part being covered by insurance.

Fire, Wind and Lightning Insurance, Thomas, Woodford & Bryan.

STATE BANKS ASKED TO MAKE STATEMENTS.

State Banking Commissioner Geo. G. Speer issued a call Saturday for a report on the condition of State banks at the close of business September 7.

Incidentally Commissioner Speer is sending out copies of a summary of the reports of June 20, accompanied with comparisons with the condition June 1, 1916, and April 10, 1917.

MASONS ELECT OFFICERS.

At the meeting of Paris Chapter, No. 15, Royal Arch Masons, held in the Masonic Temple, on Tuesday night, the following officers were elected to serve for the coming term: M. Hume Bedford, High Priest; W. C. Snapp, King; D. D. Cline, Scribe; Chas. Stephens, Treasurer; Joseph H. Ewalt, Secretary; appointive officers were: J. A. Orr, C. O. H.; W. M. Cooper, P. S.; M. E. McCurdy, R. A. C.; G. M. Bedford, M. 3 V.; R. E. Lusk, M. 4 V.; L. C. Ashcraft, M. 1 V.; J. Sam Martin, Sentinel.

The officers were installed by Past High Priest Charles A. McMillan. A noteworthy feature of the election was the fact that Mr. Charles Stephens was selected for the thirty-eighth time to fill the office of treasurer and Mr. Jos. H. Ewalt, for the twentieth consecutive term, was elected to the office of secretary.

SOME BEET.

Coroner Rudolph Davis is making a record as an agriculturist, assisted by old Mother Nature. Some time ago the good old mother gave Roxie a freak in the shape of a hybrid ear of corn mixed up with the wheat family, as detailed in a recent issue of THE NEWS.

She now comes to his back door and shows in his war garden a mammoth beet which, when placed on the scales, tilted the beam until it struck the 3½ pound mark. The beet is on exhibition in the show window of the A. J. Winters Co., with a card advertising it as "One of Roxie Davis' Beats!"

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Wanted, middle aged woman for general housework. Must be neat and refined. Work is not hard. All modern improvements. Two children. Good home for right party. Address, MRS. R. B. HAGER, Ft. Thomas, Ky. (14-tf)

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